1684 Chamberlain Highway

1800

Albert Norton (1789-1875)

& Lucy Lee (1790-1824)

& Rebecca Eddy (1800-1828)

& Ruth Hart (1797-1867)

House built on land owned by grandfather Roger Norton

Federal/Victorian

1985 Townwide Historic and Architectural Survey of Berlin, Connecticut. Survey # 014

Before 1800 Albert Norton house federal/Victorian style

Current owner Lawrence & Nellie Laviania

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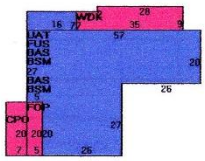
1800 current owner Ronald and Arlene Laviana



Genealogy

Captain Albert Norton (1789-1875) son of Roger & Hannah Rice Norton was baptized in 1789 at the Kensington Congregational Church. In 1817 he married Lucy Lee (1790-1824) daughter of John Lee & Mary Hart. In 1825 he married Rebecca Eddy (1800-1828) . In 1829 he married Ruth Hart (1797-1867) daughter of Cyprian Hart & Lucy Hooker. His children include Albert, Lucy, Harriet, William, Frederick, Isabella, and Harriet. His house was on land owned by his grandfather Roger Norton. He was active at the Kensington Congregational Church. He died at age 86 and is buried in the Blue Hills Cemetery.

HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY
BUILDING AND STRUCTURES
HIST-6 NEW 5/77

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FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	
Town No.:	Site No.:
UTM	
QUAD:	
DISTRICT ☐ S ☐ NR	IF NR, SPECIFY ☐ Actual ☐ Potential

IDENTIFICATION

1. BUILDING NAME (Common) | (Historic): Albert Norton House

2. TOWN CITY: Berlin | VILLAGE: Kensington | COUNTY: Hartford

3. STREET AND NUMBER (and/or location): 1684 Chamberlain | 19-4 25-2/ 15/17

4. OWNER(S): Laviania, Lawrence & Nellie " " Kensington 06037 ☐ Public ☒ Private

5. USE (Present): Residence | (Historic): Residence

6. ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC: EXTERIOR VISIBLE FROM PUBLIC ROAD ☒ Yes ☐ No | INTERIOR ACCESSIBLE ☐ Yes ☒ No | IF YES, EXPLAIN

7. STYLE OF BUILDING: Federal/ Victorian | DATE OF CONSTRUCTION: Before 1800; later additions

DESCRIPTION

8. MATERIAL(S) (Indicate use or location when appropriate)
☒ Clapboard ☐ Asbestos Siding ☐ Brick ☐ Other (Specify) _____
☐ Wood Shingle ☐ Asphalt Siding ☐ Fieldstone
☐ Board & Batten ☐ Stucco ☐ Cobblestone
☐ Aluminum Siding ☐ Concrete Type: _____ ☒ Cut stone Type: _____

9. STRUCTURAL SYSTEM
☒ Wood frame ☒ Post and beam ☐ balloon
☐ Load bearing masonry ☐ Structural iron or steel
☐ Other (Specify) _____

10. ROOF (Type)
☒ Gable ☐ Flat ☐ Mansard ☐ Monitor ☐ sawtooth
☐ Gambrel ☐ Shed ☐ Hip ☐ Round ☐ Other (Specify) _____
(Material)
☐ Wood Shingle ☐ Roll Asphalt ☐ Tin ☐ Slate ☒ Gable end to the street
☒ Asphalt shingle ☐ Built up ☐ Tile ☐ Other (Specify) _____ ☐ Ridge parallel to the street

11. NUMBER OF STORIES: 2 1/2 | APPROXIMATE DIMENSIONS: 26' x 47'

12. CONDITION (Structural): ☐ Excellent ☒ Good ☐ Fair ☐ Deteriorated | (Exterior): ☐ Excellent ☒ Good ☐ Fair ☐ Deteriorated

13. INTEGRITY (Location): ☒ On original site ☐ Moved | WHEN ? | (Alterations): ☒ Yes ☐ No | IF YES, EXPLAIN: Federal 18th century; Victorian & alterations

14. RELATED OUTBUILDINGS OR LANDSCAPE FEATURES
☒ Barn ☐ Shed ☐ Garage ☒ Other landscape features or buildings (Specify) Orchard with fruit stand
☐ Carriage house ☐ Shop ☐ Garden

15. SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT
☐ Open land ☐ Wood-land ☒ Residential ☐ Scattered buildings visible from site
☐ Commercial ☐ Indus-trial ☐ Rural ☒ High building density

16. INTERRELATIONSHIP OF BUILDING AND SURROUNDINGS
In an area of mostly 19th- and 20th-century houses.